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IN RECENT JOINT CUBAN-ETHIOPIAN COMMUNIQUE, EMBASSY NOTICED THAT BOTH COUNTRIES CALLED FOR "INDEPENDENCE" OF PUERTO RICO. BELIEVE THAT THIS, COMBINED WITH PRESENCE OF FELIPE CIRINO, CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBER OF THE PUERTO RICAN SOCIALIST PARTY, IN ADDIS ABABA AS DELEGATE TO RECENTLY COMPLETED PREPARATORY MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY CONFERENCE, INDICATES A PROBABLE SHIFT IN THE ETHIOPIAN POSITION ON PUERTO RICO AT NEXT UNGA SESSION. IT IS LIKELY THAT ETHIOPIA WILL, IN THE FUTURE, SUPPORT THE CUBAN/SOVIET POSITION ON PUERTO RICO. MATHERON

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